



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/761,636 Confirmation No. : 6112  
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Examiner : P. N. Huynh  
Docket No. : 029065.48505  
Customer No. : 23911  
Title : VEGF-D/VEGF-C/VEGF Peptidomimetic Inhibitor

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision mailed October 14, 2004 of the Primary Examiner rejecting claims 1-3, 12, 18, 23, 24, 26, 49, 51-53, 63 and 72-88.

Applicants hereby submit the required filing fee of \$500.00 under 37 CFR 1.17 (E).

If necessary to effect a timely response, this paper would be considered as a petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response, and please charge any such fee or any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 05-1323, Docket No.: 029065.48505US.

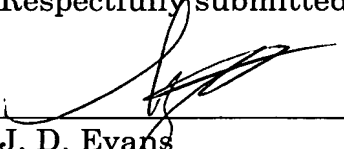
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